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I suggest that Microsoft be required to make the .doc, .xls, Media player, and other binary file formats public, so competitors can write format-compatible programs.

This eliminates the problem of people being forced to use Microsoft products because someone sent them a file in a Microsoft format.

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